GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services – Irrigation & C.A.D Department – Allegation of possession of assets disproportionate to known sources of income against Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman, Office of the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, Srikakulam Division, Srikakulam district – Found guilty of the charges and convicted by the orders of Hon'ble Court of III Additional District and Sessions Judge-Cum-Special Judge for A.C.B cases, Visakhapatnam, dated 09.01.2014 in CCNo.33/2014 – Imposition of punishment of withholding Pension and Gratuity in full permanently against the Accused Officer Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman (Retd.) – Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION AND C.A.D. (VIGILANCE-I/A2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.55

Dated 24.10.2014 Read the following:

- 1. From the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad letter No.RC No.200/RCA-VSK/2001-S12, dated 08.02.2002
- 2. Govt. Memo No.25152/Ser.VI-1/2001-4, dated 11.04.2002
- 3. Proceedings No.RC/ENC/VC1/19275/2001-4, of the Engineer-in -Chief (AW), Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Hyderabad, dated 21.05.2002.
- 4. From the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad, letter No.RC No.200/RCA-VSK/2001-S12, dated 25.11.2003.
- 5. G.O.Ms.No.147, Irrigation & C.A.D (Ser.VI) Department, dated 01.09.2004
- 6. G.O.Ms.No.206, Irrigation & C.A.D (Ser.VI) Department, dated 03.12.2008
- From the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad letter No.RC No.200/RCA-VSK/2001-S12, dated 17.02.2014

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau has informed, based on credible information, that Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman O/o the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, Srikakulam Division, Srikakulam District had indulged in corrupt practices by abusing his official position while in service and thereby acquired disproportionate assets in his name and in the name of his family members, an officer of the Bureau after following due procedure has registered a case in Crime No.22/RC-ACB/VZM/01 under section 13 (2) read with 13 (1)(e) of Prevention of Act, 1988 on 11.12.2001 at 8.30 hours against the Accused Officer and took investigation. He has therefore, recommended to transfer the Accused Officer to a far off and non focal post far away from Srikakulam District. Accordingly, the Engineer – in – Chief (A.W), Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Hyderabad in Proceedings 3rd read above has transferred Sri P. Parvatheswara Rao, Draughtsman Grade-I and posted to P.B.I. Circle, Rajahmundry as per the instructions issued in the Govt. Memo 2nd read above.

- 2. In the reference 4th read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad has recommended to prosecute the Accused Officer, Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman, O/o the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, Srikakulam Division, Srikakulam District in a competent Court of Law under Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.
- 3. In the reference 5th read above, orders were issued according sanction for prosecuting the accused officer Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman, O/o the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, Srikakulam Division, Srikakulam District in a competent Court of Law for the offences punishable under Section 13 (2) read with 13 (1)(e) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

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- 4. In the G.O.,6th read above, Departmental action was also initiated and a punishment of 5% cut in pension for (5) years against Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman, O/o the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, Srikakulam Division, Srikakulam District was imposed after following due procedure.
- 5. In the reference 7th read above, the Special Judge for S.P.E & A.C.B Cases, Visakhapatnam delivered the Judgement on 09.01.2014 in C.C.No.30/2004. The Special Judge found the A.O. Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman (Retd.), Office of the Executive Engineer, Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Srikakulam Sub-Division, Srikakulam district guilty of the offences under Section 13 (2) read with 13 (1)(e) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and convicted him under section 248 (2) Cr.P.C. and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of three years and to pay a fine of Rs.50,000/- and in default to suffer simple imprisonment for one year under Section 13 (1)(e) read with 13 (2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.
- 6. After careful examination of the entire matter, it has been decided to impose the punishment of withholding pension and gratuity in full permanently against the accused officer Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman (Retd.), Office of the Executive Engineer, Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Srikakulam Sub-Division, Srikakulam district under Rule (9) of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, as the said accused officer was found guilty of the offences punishable under section 13 (2) read with section 13 (1)(e) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1980 and convicted by the orders of Hon'ble Court of Special Judge for S.P.E & A.C.B Cases, Visakhapatnam delivered the Judgement on 09.01.2014 in C.C.No.30/2004.
- 7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose the punishment of withholding pension and gratuity in full permanently against the accused officer Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman (Retd.), Office of the Executive Engineer, Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Srikakulam Sub-Division, Srikakulam district under Rule (9) of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, as the said accused officer was found guilty of the offences punishable under section 13 (2) read with section 13 (1)(e) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1980 and convicted by the orders of Hon'ble Court of Special Judge for S.P.E & A.C.B Cases, Visakhapatnam delivered the Judgement on 09.01.2014 in C.C.No.30/2004.
- 8. The Engineer-in-Chief (A.W), Irrigation & C.A.D Department shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly and acknowledge the receipt of the order.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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To

Sri Puppala Parvatheswara Rao, Head Draughtsman (Retd.), Office of the Executive Engineer, Irrigation & CAD Dept., Srikakulam Sub-Division, Srikakulam district **through** the Engineer – in - Chief (AW), Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Irrigation & C.A.D Department, Hyderabad (with a request to submit the dated acknowledgement to Government, without delay)

Copy to:

The Accountant General (A & E) A.P., Hyderabad.
The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad
The Secretary to Vigilance Commission, A.P., A.P.V.C., Hyderabad

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//FORWARDED: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER